

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 BEIRUT 07328 101517Z

47

ACTION AGR-10

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 EB-07 COME-00 /028 W

----- 117642

R 101438Z JUN 75

FM AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4714

INFO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

AMEMBASSY DOHA

AMEMBASSY JIDA

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

AMEMBASSY MANAMA

AMEMBASSY MUSCAT

AMCONSUL DHAHRAN

UNCLAS BEIRUT 7328

DEPT PASS AGRICULTURE FOR BERNITZ

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, EAGR

SUBJECT: PROPOSED FOOD EXHIBIT

REF: (A) STATE 115994 (B) ABU DHABI 1115 (C) KUWAIT 2353

(D) MANAMA 640 (E) FASTO 20 (NOTAL)

1. AGATT PITCHER CONTACTED PHOENICIA HOTEL REGARDING AVAILABILITY OF SPACE FOR PROPOSED FOOD EXHIBIT AND WAS INFORMED THAT BALLROOM AND OTHER APPROPRIATE SPACE BOOKED APRIL 12-16, 1976. AGATT SURVEYING ALTERNATIVE SITES AND WILL REPORT FINDINGS BY TOFAS ASAP.

2. JUDGING FROM COMMENTS SUBMITTED BY GULF POSTS, FOOD EXHIBIT PROPOSED FOR BEIRUT UNLIKELY TO ATTRACT MANY LOCAL TRADERS FROM THESE COUNTRIES. AGATT APPRECIATES THAT SHOW IN COUNTRY OF FAS COVERAGE MINIMIZES LOGISTICAL PROBLEMS, BUT QUESTIONS IF THIS ADEQUATE REASON TO SHY AWAY FROM HOLDING SHOW WHERE THE GREATEST AREA MARKET POTENTIAL FOR US PROCESSED FOODS APPEARS TO EXIST. ALTERNATIVE COULD BE TO HAVE USDA HOLD THREE-DAY EXHIBIT IN BEIRUT FOLLOWED BY SIMILAR THREE-DAY EXHIBIT AT A GULF LOCATION. GODLEY

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 BEIRUT 07328 101517Z

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: EXHIBITS, FOODS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 10 JUN 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975BEIRUT07328
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750202-0373
From: BEIRUT
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750662/aaaaceve.tel
Line Count: 60
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION AGR
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 75 STATE 115994, 75 ABU DHABI 1115, 75 KUWAIT 2353
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: greeneet
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 13 FEB 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <13 FEB 2003 by PhilliR0>; APPROVED <06 FEB 2004 by greeneet>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
06 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: PROPOSED FOOD EXHIBIT
TAGS: BEXP, EAGR
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 06 JUL 2006